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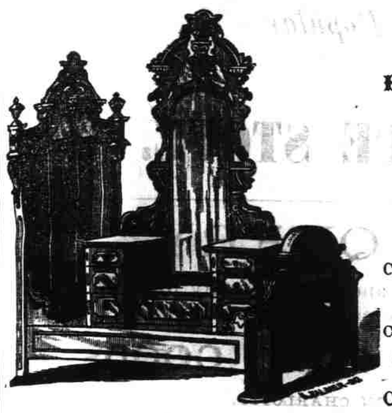

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

The Silver Bill—Passage of the Paris Exposition Bill Discussion on the Expediency of Admitting the Indians as Citizens of the United States.

General News and Gossip.

WASHINGTON, Nov 20.—SENATE—During the morning hour several bills were introduced and referred.

The consideration of the bill to enable Indians to become citizens of the United States was resumed. It was discussed by Whyte, Thurman and Ingalls.

The House is still discussing the Paris Exposition.

The committee on Privileges and Elections read the Spofford-Kellogg papers and adjourned to meet after the session.

SENATE—In the Finance committee the silver bill men carried their point. The bill will be reported to-morrow to the Senate, with some immaterial amendments.

NIGHT DISPATCHES.

The committee on Foreign Relations gave a partial consideration to the nominations of Seaford, to Belgium, and Hilliard, to Brazil. No expression of opinion is given beyond that there were matters connected with both nominations meriting consideration.

Capt Frank Monroe, of the marine corps, is dead.

The Secretary of the Treasury, replying to a question from the House, says the metric system may be used by the beginning of the next fiscal year for customs and postoffices, and on the commencement of the fiscal year for 1881 may be used in all public and private business.

The President has issued general order, number 104, against drunkenness, saying no person addicted to it can expect to be entrusted with any responsible duty.

A full cabinet considered the few appointments remaining, but made none.

HOUSE—The House spent the whole day discussing and voting on the amendments proposed to the Paris Exposition bill, and finally passed the bill by a majority of 14. It accepts the invitation of the French government, provides for the appointment of commissioners from each State and Territory, allows the use of one or more vessels of war, and appropriates $150,000.

There were no Southern nominations to day.

Confirmations—Humphreys, collector of customs at Pensacola; Woodcock, collector of the fifth district of Tennessee; Russell, collector of the third district of Virginia, Orr, postmaster at Athens, Ga; Brown, postmaster at Key West; Stewart, postmaster at Tallahassee; Bryan, post master at Bonham, Texas; Quirneig, postmaster at Narasota, Texas; McConnico, posmaster at Bryan, Texas.

SENATE—The bill for the naturalization of Indians was postponed to December. During the debate Senator Thurman said he saw no necessity for the passage of this bill. There was nothing in our laws now to exclude an Indian from naturalization, the word "white" having been stricken out. The provision in this bill allowing an Indian to retain his tribal interests would work mischief. It would enable the Indian to become a citizen and at the same time give him the benefit of the immense sums annually distributed to his tribe by the government. He was apprehensive that the bill, if it should become law, might give a little trouble if that chief, Sitting Bull, or, as the French call him, *Boref Asseyant*, should happen to come over on this side of the line. As our commissioners did not succeed in talking him over they were not so fortunate as the commissioners who went to Louisiana and tolled Packard's negroes away.—(Laughter.) If they had tolled Sitting Bull into this country and one of his braves should become a citizen of the United States, and then claim a part of the annuity that belonged to Sitting Bull and his band, he (Mr Thurman) ventured to say that Sitting Bull would say to him, not exactly in words, but exactly with the idea: "'Under which king, Bezonian? Speak or die!' Under King Sitting Bull or King Rutherford?" (Renewed laughter.) Mr Thurman, continuing his argument, expressed the hope that the time would come when the Indians would adopt the habits of civilized life and become citizens of the United States. Until that time the government should treat them kindly and keep all the treaty stipulations with them.

After the executive session Thurman, of Ohio, submitted a resolution that the committee on Privileges and Elections be discharged from the further consideration of the credentials of M C Butler as Senator from South Carolina.

Mr Conkling, of New York, suggested to his friend from Ohio (Mr Thurman) that the resolution be withheld till to-morrow morning, unless something was to be gained by taking it up this afternoon. The motion to discharge the committee was unexpected, and several Senators, who would like to be heard in regard to this matter, were not here to-day. The Senator from Vermont, Mr Edmunds, was out of the city to-day, but would return to-morrow.—A single objection to-day would prevent the consideration of the resolution, though he did not desire to make such objection.

Mr Thurman said he had not intimated that a vote on this resolution would be taken to-day. He merely desired to have it taken up now so that it would come up as unfinished business to-morrow. If there should be other business, then, of more importance, a majortty of the Senate could lay this resolution aside.

The matter, after a long discussion, went over.

The Vice President appointed Davis, of West Virginia, Beck, of Kentucky, Allison, of Iowa, Ingalls, of Kansas, and Cameron, of Pennsylvania, as the special committee to examine the books and accounts of the Treasury Department in regard to alleged discrepancies, &c, authorized by the resolution of Mr Davis, which was agreed to yesterday.

FRANCE.

Resignation of the Cabinet—Affairs Growing Serious in the Senate.

PARIS, November 20.—The *Official Journal* announces the resignation of the cabinet, which President MacMahon has accepted. The ministers will serve until their successors are appointed.

The Republican newspapers comment bitterly on the Senate's vote last night on the order of the day proposed by the Right, regarding it as the commencement of a serious conflict between the two Chambers.

The Conservative organs consider that the result of yesterday's proceedings leaves the President's position intact, as it places him above party strifes. They recommend the government to keep within the proscriptions of the constitution.

The result of the vote in the French Senate yesterday was cheered by the Left. The figures show that the Senate has virtually abandoned the cabinet as excluding five votes contributed by the ministers themselves. The cabinet commands less than half the Senate. This is regarded as a sign that unless the Marshal henceforth governs with the majority, the Senate may be regarded as having also abandoned him.

Foreign Miscellany.

LONDON, November 20.—It is believed that Russia is disinclined to accept all the conditions demanded by Servia preliminary to her taking the field.

The council of the Vatican decides that no power can veto the conclave's selection of a Pope.

It is unofficially announced that the Montenegrins have stormed Spitza, but are kept in check by the Turkish ships in Roadstead.

A London dispatch says that in the case of the four detective police inspectors, John Mecklejohn, Nathaniel Druscovich, Wm Palmer and George Clarke, together with Edward Froggatt, a solicitor, indicted for unlawfully conspiring together to defeat the ends of justice in connection with the recent turf frauds on the Countess De Goncourt, the jury found all the prisoners, except Clarke, guilty, but recommended Druscovich and Palmer to mercy. The four prisoners were each sentenced to two years imprisonment.

THE WAR.

Official Report of the Russian Loss at Kars.

LONDON, November 20.—A Russian official report states that the Russian losses at the capture of Kars were 2,500 men. Among the officers killed were Gen Belinsky and Lieut-Colonel Melikoff.

BERLIN, November 20.—The semi-official *Militar Vochenblatt* states that the Russian forces in Bulgaria and the Dobrudscha number 280,000 men, and the Turkish forces 240,000.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

BALTIMORE, November 20.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, has been held. Wm McDonald and Henry C Smith, succeed Samuel W Smith and F J King as directors. President Garrett's report shows rather unfavorably for the year's work, on account of the railroad wars and strikes, but concludes: "The successful management of the business of the company requires the board to express their appreciation of the efficient services of the officers and employes in all departments who faithfully performed their duties."

The Case of the Shanghai Consul.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 20.—The following telegram, referring to the United States Vice Consul, Bradford, was received from Shanghai, addressed to Consul General Myers: "Bradford was tried for embezzlement. He pleaded guilty and was imprisoned. He appeals to the President."

The Chinese are removing the Woosung Railway.

Rising from the Ashes.

NEW YORK, November 20.—The Borden City Mill No 1, burned at Fall River, Saturday, will be rebuilt. It is proposed by the company to run the other mill on double time for the winter at least, in order to give the hands, thrown out of employment by burning of mill No. 1, work enough to enable them to pull through the cold season.

Cremation of a Child.

NEW YORK, Nov 20.—Julius Kerchor, a Lutheran, and his wife, a Jewess, liying, being unable to agree to the burial of their child in either a Christian or Hebrew cemetery, agreed to cremate it, which was done at the chemical works of which the father is proprietor.

Cases are constantly occurring in every family where, if Dr Bull's Cough Syrup were used in time, the cough and cold would give no further trouble.

The Duty of Woman.

To be attractive is a duty which every lady owes to herself, to her domestic circle, and to society. Not only should she endeavor to please in address and in apparel, but, whenever possible, in complexion and in feature as well. Facial embellishment is to a lady as proper, and oftentimes as necessary, as are the adornments of her raiment, the artificial graces of her conversation, of her demeanor, or other meretricious attractions upon which depend so much of her dominion and influence over man. The woman who permits herself to become unlovely, who resigns herself hopelessly to the ravages of time, and the spoliation of her charms, visits upon her friends and admirers a sorrowful regret, that it becomes her to avert to the latest day. Of this social duty, it may truthfully be said that she can best acquit herself by the use of Gouraud's Olympian Cream. No other preparation approaches this in excellence, in harmlessness and purity, or compares with it in the number of spontaneous testimonials that its virtues have elicited. Its advertisement has hitherto been its merit, its recommendation by all that have used it, and not by sounding and pretentious advertising in the journals of the day. Large bottles price reduced to $1.

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A SHAME.—A Charlotte merchant advertises:

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Now, we call this a shame. Here in our Western counties we have the finest cabbage, apples and potatoes in the world, within a day's travel of Charlotte, yet that city has to depend upon the North for her supplies. The fault is not with Charlotte, but with our own people, and possibly the railroads, though of this latter we will not complain, as we do not know the tariff for such freight. It may be low enough. But our people, who now have the greatest abundance of fruit, cabbage and potatoes, permit thousands to decay and sell a little at a small price, rather than take trouble enough to put them up properly and ship them to market.—*Asheville Citizen.*

Now and Then.

It is only now and then that such men as Hon Alex H Stephens, Ex-Gov Smith and Ex-Gov Brown, of Ga., endorse a medicine for the throat and lungs, and when they do it is pretty good evidence that the remedy must be good for the cure of coughs, colds and lung affections. They recommend the GLOBE FLOWER COUGH SYRUP, and their testimonials are to be seen round the ten cent sample bottles of the Globe Flower Syrup, for sale by all druggists in Charlotte. A sample bottle relieves the worst cough and will cure sore throat. Regular size bottles, fifty doses, $1.

New Advertisements.

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FALL RACES

AT THE

CAROLINA PARK,

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Thursday, November 22nd, 1877.

ON the afternoon of Thursday, November 22nd, there will be a Trotting Race, in harness, for a purse of $200, at the race grounds, at Carolina Park, near Charlotte, N C, between the well known "DUSTY," b g., owned by Geo C Chambers, and "LUCY," b. m, owned by B B Damerest.

A second Trotting Race will take place immediately afterwards, between Chester Stallion "KEY WEST," owned by O J Schoolcraft, and "LADY MAURY," b. m., owned by Geo K Macon, and "SORREL PRINCE," s. g., owned by B B Damerest after which there will be a running race, to be announced hereafter, for a purse of fifty dollars.

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